

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

1. (Currently Amended) A computer implemented method for selling and arranging shipment of goods, ~~using~~ over a network, wherein a seller computer operated by a seller and a buyer computer operated by a buyer are both connected to the network, said method comprising the steps of:

receiving from a buyer at said seller computer an order sent from said buyer computer to buy said goods;

transmitting from said seller computer to said buyer computer, over said network, an option from said seller allowing presenting to said buyer to select either a buyer-preferred delivery option; and agency or a seller-preferred delivery agency;

sending a transmission from said buyer computer to said seller computer indicating buyer selection of said buyer-preferred delivery agency; and

in response to said buyer selecting said buyer-preferred delivery option, making

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